

What Goes On . . .

Saturday, June 5, Sunday.
June 6 — Greenbelt Day Activities, see ad, p. 5
Mon., June 7 - Wed., June 9, 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., Sat. Jun. 12, 9 a.m. - noon, Summer Recreation Leisure Time Class Registration, Greenbelt Youth Center
Mon., June 7-Wed., June 9 - 7:30 p.m. SHL Rec. Center.

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.... And More

Summer Registration
Tues., June 8, 6 p.m. Youth Advisory Committee, Schrom Hills Park
Wed., Thurs., June 9-10, 10 a.m. Surplus Food Distribution, Municipal Building
Thurs., June 10, 8 p.m. Greenbelt Homes, Inc. Board of Directors Meeting, Hamilton Place

Thursday, June 3, 1993

Voluntary Subscriptions Sought During News Review's Fund Drive

With this issue, the Greenbelt News Review announces a fund drive, in the form of seeking voluntary "subscription" contributions to take place during the month of June. We hope this drive will provide needed income so that the paper can continue publishing on a weekly basis, as it has done since November 1937. Longtime residents are aware that this newspaper — unique, we believe, in the United States — has been published during all those years by a volunteer staff. During that time, it has never missed an issue. It is provided free to all Greenbelt residents.

This will not be the first time that the paper has asked for financial help from the community, though such requests have not been frequent. The most re-

cent occurred eight years ago, in June 1985, when a group calling themselves the Friends of the Greenbelt News Review conducted an intensive campaign. The drive then had a dual purpose: to raise funds and to locate new volunteers to join our staff. Both these purposes were essential in helping the paper to continue

We are hoping that enough of our readers will offer what might be considered a voluntary subscription.

its operations. Noting at that time that the paper was two years away from the 50th anniversary of its founding, everyone hoped it would still be around for that commemoration.

In an extraordinary campaign, which was chaired by David

Lange, over \$13,000 was contributed by more than 500 Greenbelt residents. Since then, this money has been used to provide new furniture to replace the broken-down, and even dangerous, chairs with which we had been managing, to pay for necessary new equipment and to provide a reserve fund which we have drawn upon whenever the cost of publication exceeded advertising revenue.

Paper's History

When the paper began, with a mimeographed format of a few typewritten pages, getting it out was not hard to do. With only a handful of families here at the time, news volume was never large. But as the city grew, the task of covering events in Greenbelt or dealing with issues of concern to its citizens naturally became more complex.

During these 55 years, the number of residents has grown enormously; each year sees new subdivisions added to the municipality. See NEWS REVIEW, page 16

Public Safety Gets Biggest Boost In \$11.5 Million Adopted Budget

by Diane Oberg

There will be no new city taxes and no cuts in service in fiscal year 1994 (FY94) as a result of the \$11.5 million budget adopted by the Greenbelt City Council at its May 24 regular meeting. The budget provides for two new police officers, night differential pay for patrol officers, and a 1.5% cost of living adjustment for city employees. The final details of the budget were worked out in a May 19 worksession. Total expenditures are \$154,000 more than in the budget originally proposed by the City Manager.

Police

In the battle for more bucks the police department was the big winner. The adopted public safety budget of \$3.982 million is \$146,400 (3.8%) more than City Manager Daniel Hobbs' original proposal, which included no increase in officers. Council added \$55,000 for a one-officer traffic unit. Another \$12,500 in city funds, in addition to a \$37,500 state grant, was allocated for a second officer. On Friday, city officials learned that approval of this grant is likely, although the amount provided may be reduced slightly. In addition, following lobbying by the Fraternal Order of Police, patrol officers will receive night differential pay (estimated cost \$27,400).

There is still some uncertainty

as to how the traffic officer will be used. The council members clearly wanted attention to speeding in residential areas. However, Police Chief James Craze saw the officer's top priority as preventing injury and death by analyzing where accidents are occurring and how they could be prevented. Speeding, according to Craze, is the second priority.

Although authorizing two additional officers, for a total of 45, council did not vote to establish a 44 officer floor as requested by the FOP. Council members Antoinette Bram and Rodney Roberts supported the floor, Mayor Gil Weidenfeld and council members Thomas White and Edward Putens opposed it.

Another priority FOP request, to expand the area in which officers may live and still drive

their patrol cars home, was also not approved. This issue, which has no measurable budget impact, could be reconsidered.

Public Works

This department will receive \$1.7 million in FY94. Council added \$10,600 (0.6%) to Hobbs' original proposal to cover several unmet needs cited by the department including installation of lights in the metal pipe Hillside Road underpass, near the new elementary school (\$6,000), a security system for the public works facility (\$3,000), an \$800 generator and an \$800 computer printer.

Recreation and Parks

Council increased this budget by \$10,000 (0.5%) to \$2,184 million. However, little of this money will go to departmental activities. Two thousand dollars See BUDGET, page 11

Comparison of Current and Proposed Expenditures

(In thousands of dollars)

	Adopted FY 94	% Change from FY93	% of budget FY 94
General Gov't	1,206.7	7.5	10.5
Planning	336.1	32.7	2.9
Public Safety	3,982.7	10.7	34.5
Public Works	1,699.6	4.6	14.7
CARES	242.0	8.5	2.1
Rec/Parks	2,184.4	6.3	18.9
Misc.	81.2	8.6	.7
Debt Service	1,106.4	-.7	9.6
Reserves	693.1	6.6	6.0
Total	11,532.2	7.6	100.0

Celebrate Greenbelt Day: Concert, Races, Swim, More

by David Morse

Once again, the City of Greenbelt is sponsoring a weekend of festivities to commemorate the city's founding, beginning this Friday evening, June 4, and continuing through Sunday, June 6. Numerous activities are planned, including a moonlight concert by a West Indian steel band at the Municipal Swimming Pool, a 10K race, tournaments and games, and a family moonlight swim in the indoor pool at the Aquatic and Fitness Center. Other activities are also planned for Sunday by the Greenbelt American Legion Post #136. (See schedules in ad on page 5.)

Remembering Greenbelt's History

Greenbelt was born in controversy, initially a federal experiment in social engineering designed to provide both low-cost housing in a well-planned community and construction jobs for hundreds of men in the Washington area dislocated by the Great Depression. Like other New Deal programs, it drew criticism as an unprecedented and costly incursion by the federal government into the private market (it was sneeringly referred to by a contemporary reporter for the Washington Post as "Tugwell Town," referring to Rexford G. Tugwell, the Roosevelt administration's chief policy architect of the "greenbelt township" program). It also drew world-wide acclaim from city planners for its innovations in urban design, the fruit of decades of musing over the social and architectural evils engendered by the sprawling metropolises of the Victorian era. June 1, 1937 was the official effective date of the town charter, the first council-manager

government established by the Maryland State Legislature. The Resettlement Administration carefully screened its first residents for good character and compatibility by requiring them

Greenbelt revelers, mindful or not of their city's history, have much to celebrate and pleasant surroundings in which to do so.

to fill out lengthy questionnaires. The greenbelt township program floundered, however, and only three of the more than 20 cities originally envisioned were completed. The federal role in Greenbelt came to an end in 1954 with the sale of the housing stock to a housing cooperative (now See GREENBELT, DAY, pg. 10

Public Hearing on June 10 On School Boundary Changes

by David Morse

The Board of Education of Prince Georges County will hold a public hearing in Upper Marlboro on June 10 at 6 p.m. regarding a proposal for boundary changes for the new Greenbelt Elementary School, which is slated to open August 30 for the 1993-94 school year. School Superintendent Edward M. Felegy has recommended to the School Board that a number of Greenbelt students currently being bused to John Carroll Elementary School in Landover be reassigned to Greenbelt Elementary.

According to Suzanne M. Plogman, School Board member for District 2 (which includes Greenbelt), Felegy believes this can be done without violating the court agreement establishing racial guidelines because "(a) sufficient number of non-black students on the Science and Math Magnet waiting list" will insure that the ratio of white to black students at John Carroll will remain sufficiently high to comply with those guidelines. John Carroll is a majority-black school with a magnet program in science and mathematics.

The Felegy proposal grew out of a School Board mandate to the Superintendent to make an annual study of the county's current busing plan "to determine if some students might be reassigned to schools closer to their

homes," according to a summary prepared by the Superintendent's office, in a manner consistent with court guidelines. Greenbelt students affected by the proposal reside in Boxwood Village, Lakeside North, Bell Pointe, University Square, and Charlestowne Village.

The hearing will be held in the Board Room of the Sasser Administration Building in Upper Marlboro. Immediately following the hearing the Board will hold its regularly scheduled meeting, at which time it will discuss and vote on the resolution. Anyone who wishes to testify on the resolution may contact Cheryl Wilcox, Board Office Manager, at 301-952-6117. Individuals are allotted three minutes and group representatives are allotted five minutes.

We Need Your Support

This week, in an article on the first page, we write about an enterprise, like so many others in Greenbelt, which has been carried out exclusively by volunteers. We refer to the publication, during the 55 years of the city's history, of the newspaper which you are now reading. We hope that the News Review, which is provided free throughout the city, is important to you.

What you may not have realized is that, like many volunteer endeavors, this one has become financially more difficult. We have outgrown our current quarters. We hope to improve our situation by moving to the new community center when it opens. We will need furnishings and new equipment. Our reserves are small and we live on a hand-to-mouth basis with advertising barely covering our costs.

That's why we hope that you, as one of our readers, will contribute whatever you can as a voluntary subscription to keep our operation viable for another year. There is also, always, a need for volunteers in every aspect of putting out our newspaper.

In the past, the community has supported our enterprise with great generosity of time and money: we believe it will do no less this year as well.

Correction

The hearing on June 10 before the Prince Georges County Board of Education regarding boundary changes for the new Greenbelt Elementary School will be at 6 p.m., not 7 p.m. as reported in last week's paper.

Local Lawmakers To Receive Awards

Director Jon Burrell recently announced that several area legislators will be receiving Certificates of Appreciation from the Maryland Municipal League (MML) for their outstanding contributions during the 1993 Session of the Maryland General Assembly. These awards will be given to the legislators in June. Three recipients are from District 23 which includes Greenbelt. They are:

Senator Leo Green, who co-sponsored three MML priority initiatives and was an important advocate of League positions on many bills pending before the Senate Budget and Taxation Committee; Delegate James Hubbard who co-sponsored the League's mandate review board, municipal infractions and municipal revenue authority bills and led an effort in the House to increase funding for local police agencies; and Delegate Joan Pitkin (District 23, co-sponsored the League's mandate review bill and helped lead a lengthy fight on the House floor to protect the ability of local governments to regulate smoking and minors' access to tobacco products.

The Maryland Municipal League is a non-profit, non-partisan association representing 153 city and town governments throughout Maryland.

Subscriptions and Deadlines Information

MAIL SUBSCRIPTIONS: \$30 per year. Advertising and news articles may be mailed (Box 68, Greenbelt); deposited in our box at the Greenbelt Co-op grocery store before 7 p.m. Tuesday or delivered to the editorial office in the basement of 15 Parkway (474-4131). The office is open Monday from 2-4 and 8-10 pm for display advertising; deadline is 10 pm. News articles and classified ads are accepted Monday from 2-4 and 8-10 pm and Tuesday from 8-10 pm.

Thanks

As the school year draws to a close, we would like to extend our thanks to the entire Greenbelt Nursery School staff. For your gentle, loving manner with all the children (and parents), thank you Pat Schreiber. For your sheer exuberance and insight, thank you Donna Francis. For your sense of humor and cheerfulness, thank you Irma Bern. For keeping a close eye during lunch bunch, thank you Norma Soto-Ruiz. For an outstanding job raising funds for our school, thank you Sue McEnoy. To all the parents who co-operated in our son Kerry's classroom, thank you for making his year so much fun.

Sarah and Michael Mullaney

Refunds Available

Attorney General J. Joseph Curran, Jr. announced today that nearly \$400,000 is available to pay refunds to Maryland consumers who were members of 32 closed health clubs, weight loss centers and self-defense schools, including \$82,608 restitution fund for members of any of the Maryland Nutri/System Weight loss centers.

Curran said that Nutri/System members seeking refunds should send a copy of their membership agreement and proof of payment to the Maryland Attorney General's Office. Write to Nutri/System Claims, 200 St. Paul Place, Sixteenth Floor, Baltimore, Maryland 21202.

Curran's office is also accepting refund claims from members of six other health clubs and self-defense schools that have closed.

Consumers seeking refunds should similarly send a copy of their membership agreement and proof of payment to the Consumer Protection Division of his office, located at 200 Saint Paul Place, Baltimore, Maryland 21202.

Curran strongly recommended that consumers contact the Division before joining health clubs, weight loss centers and self-defense schools. Consumers may call the Division at (410) 528-8662.

Letters to the Editor

Thanks

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our good friends of 8 Court Plateau Place for your past and continuing help and concern when we really needed it. You are the kind of neighbors that make Greenbelt a great place to live.

Your offering of help and continuing to walk our dog while Brian is unable to do so and your kindness and neighborliness will never be forgotten and always will be greatly appreciated by the three of us.

Brian Jones, Doris Jones and Bear

A Banner Year

This refers to your newspaper's recent articles summarizing the 1993 Legislative Session. I would like to commend Jim Giese for writing such fine and comprehensive articles on what was accomplished during the session. It was a pleasure speaking with him in this regard.

As we discussed in our interview, I want to emphasize what "a banner year for Greenbelt" it truly was. I am especially pleased that we were able to help ensure needed state funding, through a \$250,875 Adult Day Care Center Grant and a \$288,000 Senior Citizen Activity Center Grant, for the renovation of Greenbelt Center School. This building is not only a great legacy but also a future institution for meeting the needs of Greenbelt residents. I can assure you of my continued efforts on its behalf and look forward to working with the City Council to achieve further funding successes. Moreover, the Governor has likewise expressed his own continued strong support for this project.

As your newspaper previously reported, the National Resources Department approved \$166,795.50 in Program Open Space funds for the acquisition of the Steiner property as an addition to Schrom Hills Park. I will continue working with the City and other interested parties on this project and others relating to Greenbrook Lake nearby. As a part of the Chesapeake Bay Water Quality Loan, \$100,000 was provided for the restoration of Greenbelt Lake. The state also provided \$25,391.000 (net \$4 million in FY 1994 after deducting the Social Security payments adopted in 1992 after the 23rd District Delegation objected) above that allocated in FY 1993 to the County and its Board of Education for such vital services as public safety and education. There is also \$387,000 in funding for projects at the University of Maryland in College Park and Prince Georges Community College.

As a point of reference, the Bowie Bay Sox Stadium is a County and MNCPPC project in cooperation with the State and franchise owners. The City of Bowie is not a partner in this state project and the stadium itself is outside the city's boundaries.

The City of Greenbelt gained many positive benefits from the session. I was glad to be a part of the effort with the Mayor,

City Council, District 23 delegates, and the many dedicated citizens of Greenbelt to make this possible and translate our mutual goals into reality. I look forward to our continued work together and helping to carry Greenbelt's "banner" in Annapolis.

Leo Green

You Goofed Badly

You goofed badly, and may have misled Greenbelt Homes Inc. members who did not attend the recent GHI annual membership meeting into thinking that something bad happened and that perhaps they don't want to attend GHI meetings in the future, with your story headlined "Acrimony Disrupts GHI Annual Meeting as Slates Fight It Out."

There was no disruption. There was firmly but politely debated expressions of views. The "fighting" was conducted in parliamentary fashion. And it wasn't only between rival slates: I personally was involved and voted for candidates from both slates. I noticed that on one issue there was a joint motion made by two candidates, one from each slate.

Furthermore, your story shows a lack of understanding of the issues. Your story states that one issue was "whether or not to follow last year's membership vote asking for full disclosure . . . of employee salaries. WRONG! Last year the annual membership meeting voted to command the board of directors to recognize that all employees' salaries are part of GHI's books which the bylaws state shall be open for any member to inspect.

GHI's hired lawyer advised the board it needn't obey the membership meeting's directive, although: (1) the bylaws state that membership meetings set the policies which the board is to carry out, and (2) the lawyer is paid by the entire membership (though hired by the board) and therefore the entire membership is her client. She is misrepresenting the GHI board did not fully obey what the membership ordered—not "asked." That was what some of us objected to.

Your story also misquoted me personally as to how to handle a proposed bylaw amendment which the Nominations and Elections (N&E) Committee had drafted and the GHI lawyer had rewritten. Numerous persons objected to the wording of the proposed amendment. It was agreed to have the amendment reworded and presented to the membership at a special meeting.

Several persons present said the rewording should be done by the N&E and Bylaws Committees in consultation with the lawyer. I said it should be done by those two committees and presented to the board of directors for submission to the membership meeting without any involvement by the lawyer because she has no respect for our bylaws.

Your story names me as wanting the two committees to consult with the lawyer. I don't. I want her fired.

But you did get at least one

thing right. I was, and am, troubled by the revelation at the meeting that even board members are denied access to salary information. GHI is a cooperative corporation. In a co-op corporation directors are responsible for conducting the policy-making prudently, and can be sued if they fail to do so. I don't see how you can prudently set policy if you aren't permitted to know whether all employees are uniformly paid by grade and classification and whether the pay scale is decent and in line with area rates.

A brag made at the meeting by one former board member that he'd served many years and never needed to know about salaries also troubled me. What you don't know can hurt you.

Mat Amberg

Fed Up

I didn't happen to totally agree with one side or the other on the GHI election, but I found last week's News Review article on the 1993 GHI annual meeting to be quite biased. Recall that prior to the election, the News Review effectively dismissed the challengers' issues by saying the election involved "no clear issues." They also made the gratuitous assertion that choices would likely be based on things like "experience" (obviously a positive characterization of incumbents) and "innuendo" (obviously a negative characterization of the challengers). This "reporting" was itself innuendo, and the May 27 meeting coverage continues in that vein.

The entire May 27 article is filled with subtle literary devices that have the effect of glorifying one side and denigrating the other. The article fairly gloats about the defeat of "those who had been loudest in their claims of mismanagement," gleefully reiterates the fact of their defeat several times, and characterizes their participation in meetings as "heckling."

Members speaking on the side of the incumbent slate have their comments prefaced by phrases like "so-and-so pointed out that . . .", which subtly confers legitimacy on the comments; while members on the opposing side have their comments qualified by phrases like "as she saw it," which has the effect of distancing the reader from those comments.

In reporting Mr. Colton's comments, the News Review writes that he "spoke frankly about the atmosphere of ridicule and sarcasm . . .". This phrasing confirms the existence of such an atmosphere, even though such a judgment is highly subjective and was simply Mr. Colton's opinion.

Your censorship of Don Comis' letter (as he describes in the May 27 issue) based on unwritten "policies" is further evidence of your strong bias against his views and others who share them.

I am thoroughly fed up with the way the News Review continually injects bias and persuasion into its "coverage". Greenbelt citizens are capable of making up our own minds, given the facts. So please, stop insulting our intelligence. Take your opinions out of the news coverage and put them in editorials where they belong.

Ruth Kastner

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Homeless to Benefit Thru Tot's Carnival

Ari Goldberg-Strassler and Megan Gregory, Greenbelt second-graders at Glenarden Woods Elementary School, are organizing a carnival to benefit the homeless. The carnival will be held Sunday, June 6 from 1 to 3 at the Boxwood Village playground field on Lastner Lane. There will be games, food, fun and lots of prizes.

Recycling Corner

White paper is now accepted for recycling at the Drop-Off Center. Include only white paper from the office, school or junk mail. Please don't include catalogs/magazines, colored paper, newspaper, plastic of any kind, or windowed envelopes. These materials will be accepted for recycling next month. The Drop-Off Center will close for renovation and improvement on Tuesday, June 15 for a few days.

Nature Walks

Nature walks will be conducted by a Park Ranger through a hillside and stream habitat in search of plant and animal life. Meet at the Sweetgum area of the Greenbelt National Park at 10 a.m. on Sundays, June 13, 20 and 27.

For more information call (301) 344-3948/4.

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Tour the Green Belt

The committee to save the Green Belt sponsors tours of the "Green Belt" woods. If interested, call 474-4863.

Recreation Review

Discount Amusement Park Tickets

The Greenbelt Rec Dept. is providing amusement park tickets for the 1993 season. Parks included are: Kings Dominion, Dorney Park, Hershey Park, Six Flags-Great Adventure, Wild World and Sesame Place.

Tickets may be purchased at the Youth Center Business Office, Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Payment may be made by cash, money order or certified check. No personal checks and no refunds. For additional information, call 474-6878.

Summer Youth Basketball

The Greenbelt Recreation Department is offering a Summer Youth Basketball League for boys and girls 10 and under, 12 and under, and 14 and under. Games will be played at SHL Rec Center beginning June 25. Sign-up deadline is June 11. For league and fee information, call 345-2770 or 474-6878.

Golden Age Club

by Adeline Hinson

Good News. The summer schedule for the senior swim group, under the direction of Rose Haber, will begin June 7 from 10 a.m. until noon. Be sure to bring finger food for the first of the month.

On June 9 Ben Abramowitz will speak to us on visual arts and what is going on in the world of art. Ben says it is quite a surprise.

On Thursday, July 22, there will be a Potomac River Heritage Cruise. Lunch is included in the fee. Cruise from Colton's Point around St. Clement's Island, then across the Potomac to Wakefield, George Washington's birth place, and Stratford Hall, home of Robert E. Lee. The bus will leave from the Municipal Bldg. at 8 a.m. and return at 7 p.m. For more details call Jim Maher on 345-7324.

Fun at Goddard

There will be a model rocket launch on Sunday, June 6 at 1 p.m. Bring a rocket or just come and watch. There will be a model rocket contest on July 18, so bring a rocket to test out now for July's contest.

The launch is at the Goddard Space Flight Visitor Center. It is located near the Soil Conservation Road entrance to the Space Flight Center. For information call 286-8981.

Night Wetlands Hike

Join a Park Ranger for an evening hike to a wetlands area. Learn about the biological role that wetlands play while discovering the plant and animal communities in forested swamps.

Meet at the campground entrance of the Greenbelt National Park at 7 p.m. on Thursday, June 10.

For more information call (301) 344-3948/4.

Save Our Buses

There will be a meeting of Save Our Buses (S.O.B.) on Wednesday, June 9 at 7 p.m. at the Greenbelt Police Station. Some of the items discussed will be the upcoming City Council meeting and the WMATA public hearings to be held on July 7 at Northwestern High School and on July 8 at Eleanor Roosevelt High School.

Recycling Center

Closes Temporarily

The Recycling Center at "Buddy" Attick Lake Park will close for repairs and changes on Tuesday, June 15 through Friday, June 18. The changes will enable expanded recycling opportunities that include a "mixed paper" container. Greenbelt residents will be able to recycle magazines, catalogs, junk mail, computer paper, and other miscellaneous paper. For more information, call 474-8004.

Summer T'ai Chi

The summer session of T'ai Chi Chuan will begin on Saturday, June 5, 8 a.m. outside the Youth Center (inside in the event of rain). This is the fifth year that the Recreation Department has sponsored free T'ai Chi summer practice. Those who have previously practiced with the Greenbelt group are encouraged to attend. Beginners are invited to watch or try to participate. T'ai Chi is the classic Chinese exercise for health, self defense, and spiritual growth. It is known as "meditation in movement" and practiced throughout the world.

Genealogical Society

The Prince Georges County Genealogical Society will meet Wednesday, June 9 at 7 p.m. in the Greenbelt Library. The meeting is open to the public. Visitors are welcome. Note that this is one week later than the usual meeting date.

Members will present information they have learned at the National Genealogical Society Conference which will be held the week prior to this meeting. Other members will present other varied genealogical information.

Surplus Food to Be Distributed in City

Surplus food will be distributed on Wednesday and Thursday, June 9 and 10 by the City of Greenbelt as part of the Prince Georges County Surplus Food Program. Applesauce, vegetarian beans, butter, cornmeal, orange juice, peanut butter, pork, raisins and rice will be available for all eligible persons. Food may be picked up on both days from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Municipal Building 25 Crescent Road.

Eligibility requirements are: (1) participation in a public assistance program or in Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC, Photo ID required) or (2) participation in a Food Stamp Program (Photo ID), or (3) participation in Medicaid Program (Medicaid Card), or (4) Maryland Energy Assistance Program (letter) or (5) an income that is lower than \$10,215 for one person, \$13,785 for two people, \$17,355 for three people or \$20,925 for four people.

Anyone wishing to volunteer or needing more information about this food distribution may call the City Offices at 345-7203.

Gardens Available

The gardens are plowed and ready for planting! There are still a few garden plots available on the Greenbelt Garden Club fields. They are approximately 50 x 50 feet or 50 x 25 feet in size. It's that time of year to plant those tomatoes and peppers so call 474-8483 evenings for more information on the plots.

Art Show, Reception At Greenbelt Library

The Gallery at the Greenbelt Branch of the Prince Georges County Memorial Library will hold a reception on Saturday, June 5, from 3 to 5 p.m., for Barbara Stevens, whose paintings will be exhibited there through June 25. The public is invited. The exhibit, entitled "Roadscapes: Southwest to Maryland," consists of landscapes of New Mexico and Maryland. The landscapes incorporate designs suggestive of the people and culture of the scenes portrayed (Native American motifs in the New Mexican scenes, traditional quilt patterns in the Maryland paintings). Stevens, a Greenbelt resident, resided in New Mexico for many years.



Greenbelt Day Weekend

Adult Scavenger Hunt

This activity is offered to the residents of Greenbelt's three communities — Greenbelt East, Springhill Lake and Old Greenbelt. It is suggested that teams be made up of four individuals from these areas, but it is not mandatory. There is no limit to the number of teams who can enter.

WHO: Anyone 18 years old or older

WHEN: Sunday, June 6

WHERE: Scavenger Hunt lists will be distributed 12 noon SHARP at the Greenbelt Youth Center, Springhill Lake Recreation Center and Schrom Hills Park Community Center. The Hunt will conclude, 1:30 p.m., at the Greenbelt American Legion Post #136.

Prizes include Oriole tickets and gift certificates from local restaurants. All participants will receive a commemorative "Greenbelt Day Weekend" hat.

A Review

Children Playing Shakespeare A Midsummer Night's Dream

by Barbara Likowski

Children playing Shakespeare!!! It boggles the mind to think of it; it seems so impossible. So it was with trepidation that this reviewer attended the dress rehearsal of the Greenbelt Arts Center children's presentation of "A Midsummer Night's Dream." Children of all ages were wandering around in various costumes; everything seemed to be at loose ends. Then one young man told everyone to lie flat on the floor and after feeling relaxed, think of the part he/she was to play.

Unbelievably the children relaxed, the chaos became quiet and then the play was ready to begin. And it really was Shakespeare with the familiar characters and lines that came out of another time.

Plot Understandable

The children did a good job; some of them a very good one. But all of them had obviously worked hard to master this unfamiliar way of talking and all seemed to be enjoying themselves. That is not to say there weren't some missed cues and a few voices that were not quite loud enough. But these were minor inconveniences to the audience. What was important was the fact that the plot was understandable. We laughed again as these characters woke from sleep not knowing that the mischievous Puck had squeezed a potion in their eyes making them fall in love with the first person they saw.

Sarah Wolf was Puck. We could have been watching an adult performance! She (he) never missed the lines she spoke as if she really had grown up speaking in that form. Her gestures, howls, movements — all added to the part she played.

Another person who talked as if she had walked out of Shakespearean times, so natural was her speech, was Meverette Smith who played one of the lovers, Hermia. So good was her speech, so convincing, that we wanted to believe her. Her acting, too, was superb! Randy Eigenbrode became Bottom, the weaver, right before our eyes. So full of himself, showing off in the part he played in the play within the play.

Then there was the pretty fairy queen Titania (Lauren Zambreny) and her husband Oberon (played this time by Lisa McDonald who will play the part on Saturday). Sunday Cheryl Connor will be Oberon.

Many supporting characters helped to carry the story. We

were pleased to see how much some of them had improved since last year in projecting their voices, in adding the small but important gestures that make a real character.

And last but not least were the smallest of the small — the very young (from age five up) who were perhaps in their first play, who had the courage to try to pretend, to be the fairies.

Performances on Greenbelt

Day Weekend

The play will be given in Center School on Greenbelt Day weekend. Saturday and Sunday afternoons at 2 p.m. We'd recommend it for families. It might help to go over the plot so that the youngsters, knowing what to look for, are not turned off by an unfamiliar way of talking. It won't spoil the fun for them. It should encourage them to look beyond the words for what's really happening.

Ginny Zanner is to be commended for a job well done. Most of her crew were children — children with determination! What a learning experience! We hope to see more opportunities for children to learn and grow — to try new things.

As we left the rehearsal we walked out behind a young elementary school age child who all the way to her car, dramatically went over her part, oblivious to all else. It was a learning experience for us, too.

Flower Arranging

The Maryland Chapter of Ikebana International will present an exhibition of Japanese flower arrangements in the Administration Building Auditorium at the U.S. National Arboretum on Saturday, June 5 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sunday, June 6 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Lisa McDonald as Oberon the King talks with Puck played by Sarah Wolf. The fairies Quinn Breece, Karen Mealey, and Cheryl Connor watch over them in the Greenbelt Arts Center production of Midsummer Night's Dream to be performed on Greenbelt Day weekend.

—photo by Joe Polanin

Farewell to Center School

The closing of the historical Greenbelt Center Elementary School will be commemorated with an open house there on Saturday, June 12 from 2-4 p.m. All former and current students, parents, staff, and other interested community members are welcome.

The ceremony will feature an ongoing slide show, a display of photos, newspaper clippings, and other mementos, and a brief presentation at 2:30 p.m.

Anyone with mementos they would like to make available for this event may contact Mary Wade at 345-9356. Donations of snacks and flowers are also welcome.

Strawberry Festival
The Adelphi Friends meeting will hold its 32nd annual Strawberry Festival on Saturday, June 5 (rain or shine) from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at 2303 Metzerott Road, Adelphi.

In addition to strawberries, the group will be selling white elephant items, books, clothing, plants, children's games, baked goods, and lunch foods. A silent auction and a car wash are also planned.

Admission is free, and all proceeds will be donated to local charitable organizations. For more information, call (301) 445-1114.

Volunteers Help With Food Program

The Food and Friendship Program provides hot lunches to the residents of the Green Ridge House and other senior Greenbelt residents throughout the school year, according to Green Ridge resident and volunteer Teresa Long.

A Washington, D.C. caterer provides food to the county Department of Family Services for this program, and also to the public school system for school lunches. The caterer charges the

Catholic Community of Greenbelt MASS
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Bahai Faith

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— Baha'i Sacred Writings

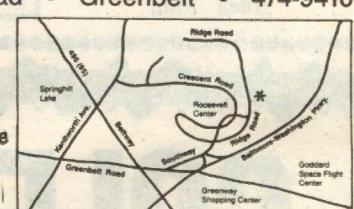
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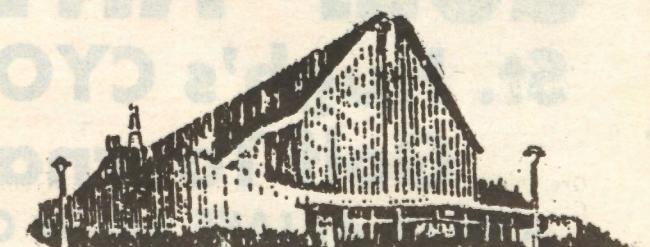
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Worship Services:

Saturday, 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, 8:30 & 11:15 a.m. (Infant care provided at each service)

Sunday School and Bible Classes 9:50 a.m.
Pre-School Department 9:50 and 11:15 a.m.

For information regarding programs for youth, young adults, singles, and senior citizens, please call the church office.

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10:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
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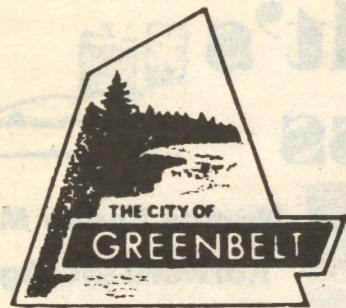
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56th ANNIVERSARY Greenbelt Day Weekend

FRIDAY, JUNE 4TH THRU SUNDAY, JUNE 6TH

PROGRAM OF FAMILY ACTIVITIES



Sunday, June 6th marks the 56th Anniversary of Greenbelt's incorporation as a municipality. Time has demonstrated that Greenbelt has developed into a highly successful city. Its citizenry has displayed an active interest in the promotion of civic programs and community spirit as we build toward our second 50 years.

Greenbelt Day is a time to commemorate the City's past, celebrate the present and look forward to an exciting future as a great community in which to live, work and play. A variety of special events have been planned for the weekend. The Mayor, Councilmembers and City Staff cordially invite you, your family and guests to join us — whether you spectate or participate. There is something for everyone.

Weekend highlights include a Family Moonlight Swim at the Aquatic and Fitness Center, Moonlight Concert by the "Trinidad and Tabago Band" at the Municipal Swimming Pool, and Family Day at the Greenbelt American Legion Post #136. On sports, we offer softball, baseball, t-ball, tennis and much more for the enjoyment of you, your family and guests.

As in the past, all City residents, organizations and businesses are encouraged to join the commemoration set for Friday, June 4th thru Sunday, June 6th. The entire weekend is celebrated with a host of community programs, special events and a wide range of recreational activities for all ages. We hope you enjoy the weekend!

FRIDAY, JUNE 4th

6 pm - T-Ball League Play

Gold vs. Red, @ Braden Field #3; Purple vs. Green @ Lakewood; Silver vs Black @ Schrom Hills Park.

6 pm - Little League Baseball

Indians vs. Lions @ McDonald Field.

6 pm - Coach Pitch League

Yankees vs. Marlins @ SHL Elem.

7 pm - Little League Baseball

A's vs. Giants @ Braden Field #2.

7 pm - 10 pm - FAMILY MOONLIGHT SWIM

Aquatic and Fitness Center. All ages. Free for passholders, normal admission price for all others.

SATURDAY, JUNE 5th

8 am - 10 pm Aquatic and Fitness Center open

Year-Round and Summer Daily and Pass rates are good for both the indoor and outdoor swimming pool.

8 am - 5 pm - GTA Memorial Day Tennis Tournament

Championship matches held on Braden Field Tennis Courts #1-6. Spectators welcome.

9 am - 6 p.m. - NCSL Adult Soccer Tournament

Greenbelt Middle School Fields # 1 and 2. Refreshments will be sold to benefit Ryan Greer's Youth Ambassadorship.

9 am - 6 pm - GREENBELT YOUTH SPORTS EVENTS

Spectators are welcome to come out and cheer for your favorite team as they play at various city fields.

9 am to 5 pm - CYO Softball Tournament

Braden Field #2 and #3.

10 am - Little League Play

Tigers vs. Cards @ McDonald Field.

11 am - T-Ball League Play

Purple vs. Silver, @ Lakewood Field; Green vs. Orange @ Northway Field #2.

12 noon - Coach Pitch League

Yankees vs. Rockies, @ SHL Elem.

10 am - 8 pm - Greenbelt Municipal Outdoor Pool Open

Open for recreational swimming for all ages. Purchase a summer season pass and save the cost of daily admission.

	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Single	\$ 67.00	\$103.00
Family	/139.00	\$201.00
Senior Citizen (60+)	\$ 36.00	\$ 72.00

5:45 pm - Senior Babe Ruth League

Greenbelt vs. Camp Springs @ Braden Field #2.

8:15 pm - 10 pm - Moonlight Concert with "THE TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO STEEL BAND"

Greenbelt Municipal Pool. The entire family is invited. Presented by the Greenbelt Arts Center in cooperation with the Recreation Department. FREE. Bring blanket/chair. No Swimming. Refreshments will be on sale prior to the concert & during intermission. The Caribbean comes to Greenbelt. Hear calypso, soca, reggae, and even classical music, from an outstanding steel band. The pool is an ideal setting, on the water's edge. "The Trinidad and Tobago Steel Band" has performed for two presidents, played with Sammy Davis Jr., Count Basie, and appeared in an inaugural parade and at the Smithsonian's American Folklife Festival. Come and enjoy! In case of rain, the concert will be held in the Youth Center Gym.

SUNDAY, JUNE 6th GREENBELT DAY 1993

12 NOON - 6 pm

8 am - 10 pm - Aquatic and Fitness Center Open

Year-Round, Summer Pass and Daily admissions are good for both the indoor and outdoor swimming pool.

8 am - 11 am - 1st Annual Greenbelt 10K

Sponsored by the Greenbelt Running Club, PG Running Club and the Recreation Department. This race is to benefit the David Craig Memorial Scholarship Fund. The course will cover Old Greenbelt. Pre-registration is suggested. Cost \$10.00. The first 150 participants will receive a commemorative T-shirt. Registration forms available at the Youth Center by calling Jim Shaffer at 345-4673.

8 am - 5 pm - GTA Memorial Day Tennis Tournament

Championship matches held on Braden Field Tennis Courts #1 - 6. Spectators are welcome.

10 am - 8 pm - Greenbelt Municipal Swimming Pool

Open for recreational swimming for all ages. Purchase a season pass and save the cost of daily admissions.

SUMMER DAILY FEES	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
Adult (18-59 yrs.)	\$3.00	\$3.50
Child (1-17 yrs.)	\$1.75	\$2.25
Under 1 yr.	FREE	FREE
Senior (60 yrs. & over)	\$1.75	\$2.25

10 am - 4 pm - NCSL Adult Soccer Tournament

Greenbelt Middle School # 1 and 2. Refreshments will be sold to benefit Ryan Greer's Youth Ambassadorship.

1 pm - 5 pm - Greenbelt Museum Open to the Public

10-B Crescent Road. Tours and historical exhibits. Free admission for all.

1 pm - 5 pm - CYO Softball Tournament

Braden Field #2 and #3.

FAMILY DAY

GREENBELT'S 56th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION
AT THE GREENBELT AMERICAN LEGION POST #136

12 NOON - 6 pm

ALL DAY ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

Children's Game Booths, Dunking Booth, Face Painting, Ballons. 50/50 Raffle Cards, Vegas Cards, and a Used Book sale. A nominal fee will be charged for some activities. Please bring a blanket and/or lawn chair.

REFRESHMENTS INCLUDE:

Food, Soft Drinks, Ice Cream, and Beer.

12 - 1:30 pm - ADULT SCAVENGER HUNT

This hunt is a competition between the three communities of Greenbelt. Individual teams of up to four people can pick-up information at the following sites: Youth Center, Schrom Hills Park and, Springhill Lake Rec. Center. We will begin distributing info at these sites at 12:00 NOON sharp! A winner will be determined by the time elapsed and the number of items located. The Hunt will conclude at the Greenbelt American Legion Post #136 at 1:30 pm.

12:30 - 1:15 pm - FAMILY SQUARE DANCE FUN

Caller Jim Wass with his group of Square Dancers will be entertaining all with a Square Dance demonstration and audience participation event.

12:30 pm - HORSE SHOE TOURNAMENT

An open single elimination, bring your own partner tournament.

1:45 pm - 2 pm - GREENBELT DAY PROGRAM

Greenbelt Day Celebration at the Greenbelt American Legion Post #136 with the Mayor and City Council. Anniversary remarks commemorating the City's 56th year.

2 pm - BINGO

Bingo will be held in the main hall of the American Legion.

2:05 pm - 3 pm - GREENBELT CONCERT BAND

The Greenbelt Concert Band of Prince George's County, under the direction of Conductor, John Del Homme will perform a variety of favorite music.

3:30 pm - 4 pm - DARLENE'S DANCE STUDIO

Students will perform for all who attend.

All proceeds will benefit Greenbelt Area Schools.

7-Eleven Makes Grants for Literacy

Two to three million Americans join the ranks of over 20 million illiterate citizens each year. In their continuing efforts to help drive down these figures, The Southland Corporation's Chesapeake Division of 7-Eleven Stores has awarded \$133,000 in grants to 125 community literacy organizations in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia.

The grants — ranging from \$1,000 to \$2,000 — were awarded through 7-Eleven's "People Who Read Achieve" (PWRA) program, a multifaceted public service campaign dedicated to combatting illiteracy. In addition to sponsoring a variety of literacy-related initiatives, the Division has awarded more than \$535,000 to support local literacy outreach since the program's inception in 1989.

In addition to grants, PWRA efforts have included:

—A multilingual helpline which fields an average of 500 calls a month;

—A foodbank to distribute necessities to shelters offering literacy training;

—Provision of testing materials for the 1992 Maryland School Assessment Program;

—Summer reading programs coordinated with several county library systems; and

—Underwriting of numerous community events related to literacy.

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Sherer Named Office Manager For Century 21

Owner Louis M. Pope recently announced that Alan Sherer was named office manager of the CENTURY 21 Trademark Realty, Inc. office in Greenbelt.

Sherer has been with CENTURY 21 Trademark Realty, Inc. for the past 10 years since he graduated from the University of Maryland. In addition to his job as office manager, Sherer is also the advertising director and a property manager specializing in residential sales for CENTURY 21 Trademark Realty, Inc. located at 6401 Golden Triangle Drive.

Million \$ Club

The recipients of the 1992 Million Dollar Sales Club Awards given by CENTURY 21 of the Mid-Atlantic States were Steve Ness, Dan Seitz, Eugene Curtin, Craig Johnson, Craig Diemer, Ruby James, Howard Phoebus, Larry Moore, Ed McCawley & Dorothy Peck.

CENTURY 21 Trademark Realty, Inc. currently has 23 sales associates. has been in business for 14 years and specializes in residential resale. CENTURY 21 Trademark Realty, Inc. is committed to quality customer service and is located at 6401 Golden Triangle Drive, Suite 130, Greenbelt.

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Greenbelt's Business



Owners from left Louis M. Pope, Andrew MacPherson and Craig Diemer cut the ribbon officially opening their new Century 21 Trademark Realty, Inc. offices on the Golden Triangle on Thursday, May 13. Many local business owners, mortgage bankers and fellow realtors were on hand to attend the opening party. "We're happy to be in Greenbelt," said Pope. "We have a great deal to offer this community, including the convenience and expertise of a one-stop, full-service real estate office designed to serve all of our customers' buying and selling needs."

—photo courtesy Century 21

News Review

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Special thanks also to all individuals and contributors not listed above.

For GHI Members Only FSBO Seminar

A "For-Sale-By-Owner" seminar will be held in the GHI Board room on Wednesday, June 9, 1993 at 7:30 p.m. Members who are considering selling their co-op unit are invited to attend this seminar and learn to "do-it-yourself". Please call the receptionist at 474-4161 to sign up for the seminar. Limited seating available.

THIS SEMINAR IS FOR GHI MEMBERS ONLY



Quinn Presents Unified Sign Ideas to Interested Council

by Virginia Beauchamp

A suggestion that first surfaced at a charette workshop several years ago has taken on new life recently with a directive by the Greenbelt City Council to explore possibilities for erecting new signage to unify the city. City intern Daphne Quinn made a presentation at the regular council session on May 11, indicating where signs might be located and how they could be used. Her presentation was described as an introduction of a topic to be explored further during a summer worksession.

Those familiar with Greenbelt history will remember that the charette, a creative one-day workshop, brought together architectural professionals and Greenbelt residents to brainstorm about ways to redevelop the Roosevelt Center, which was then a run-down, mostly empty commercial space. Erecting signs at major entrances, such as at Greenbelt Road and Southway and at Kenilworth Avenue and Crescent Road, would be a means of calling attention to the loca-

tion and presence of the Roosevelt Center, one of the charette teams suggested.

Finding the Center is still difficult for those unfamiliar with Greenbelt, as the Greenbelt Theatre owner, Paul Sanchez, would be the first to attest. But Quinn's primary concern focused on how signage could also be used to create a single image which would help to give the city a sense of unity. She noted that both the city of Columbia and the North Ridge section of Bowie

have used signs in just this way.

Quinn described three different sets of signs which might be installed—all with a single logo or design concept: entryway signs, street and neighborhood signs and directional signs to points of interest. Some of the entryway signs could be ground-mounted, where adequate space was available. Such locations would be Good Luck Road at Hanover Parkway, Greenbelt Road to the east at the beginning of Windsor Green, Edmonston Road at Cherrywood Lane, and the Greenbelt METRO site.

Two other entryway locations would require pole-mounted signs because adequate space is unavailable for ground-mounted signage. These would be at Good Luck Road and Kenilworth Avenue and Cherrywood at Greenbelt Road.

Council queried whether a sign might also be mounted on the Baltimore-Washington Parkway at the Greenbelt exit. According to Quinn, this location was more problematic since permission would be required to place such signage on federal park land.

Council Response

All members of the city council were positive in their response to Quinn's presentation. Council member Toni Bram said she hoped for something "really original" in a design concept. Council member Tom White also endorsed the idea. He suggested that the city's unique bus stop shelters also helped as a unifying element, as did the trail system. He saw the unifying signs as another aspect of that theme.

White went on to endorse the need for directional signs, noting the difficulty encountered by the McCarls in helping out-of-city patients to locate their dental offices.

Several Phases

Because of fiscal restraints, City Manager Daniel Hobbs noted, only an initial \$10,000 had been designated in the FY/94 budget as funds for Phase I of the signage project. He indicated that the project would have to become a multi-year effort, one dimension of which would be the removal of unnecessary signs. He called for council assistance in identifying locations for such removals and for placement of new signs.

Bram suggested that GHI also be involved in the process since court signs would be their responsibility. She also suggested that landscaping be considered as part of the overall aspect of presenting a unified image of the city.

Greenbelt Little League Standings as of 6-1-93

American League	W - L
Athletics	6 - 1
Orioles	4 - 4
Tigers	1 - 7
Giants	1 - 7
National League	W - L
Cardinals	8 - 0
Lions	6 - 3
Indians	4 - 4
Cubs	3 - 6



Festival Notes

Labor Day Volunteers

Many people—old and new—have signed on to direct various aspects of the 1993 Labor Day Festival. There is room, however, for volunteers to help in virtually every Labor Day activity, from parade to publicity, from events on the stage to those behind the scene. If you can help with this annual festival which involves all parts of the community call Festival President Bobbi McCarthy at 474-5888. The next Labor Day meeting is Thursday, June 10, 7:30 p.m. at the Greenbelt Police Station; everyone is welcome. Drop in to learn how plans are going.

Miss Greenbelt Pageant

An orientation for all prospective participants in the 1993 Miss Greenbelt Pageant will be held on June 30. Girls 14 to 19 who live, work or go to school in Greenbelt are eligible to participate. Those interested—parents are welcome too—can learn more about the Pageant at the orientation. Call Natasha Chavrid-Jewell at 345-0929 to register for the orientation or for more information.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP MEETS

The American Cancer Society and the Greater Laurel-Beltsville Hospital offer a cancer support group the first and third Tuesday of each month from 7:30 p.m. at the Greater Laurel Beltsville Hospital, 7100 Contee Road in Laurel. The group is facilitated by Ann S. Klein, L.C.S.W., director of the Laurel Family Therapy Center and Donald Klein, Masters in Counseling.

The group provides support, encouragement and information to cancer patients and their family and friends. Mutual problems and concerns are discussed in a positive manner. All meetings are free. For more information contact Ann S. Klein, L.C.S.W. or Donald Klein at (301) 604-1717 or the American Cancer Society at (301) 261-6000.

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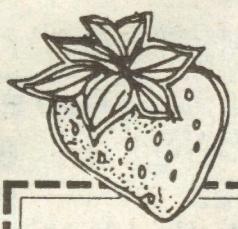
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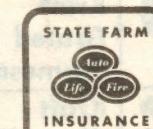
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Greenbelt Day

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known as Greenbelt Homes, Incorporated) organized by a group of homeowners. While the pioneering elan of the town's "first families" (610 in 1938, comprising a total population of 2,300) may have waned, the city has matured into a small, thriving metropolis of over 20,000 people, and the federal patrimony lives on in the gracefully curved boulevards and tree-lined inner walkways of the original core.

Concerts and Sports

Thus Greenbelt revelers, mindful or not of the above, have much to celebrate, and pleasant surroundings in which to do so.

To begin with, the weekend is replete with sporting events (enough baseball and softball games to gladden even the dour-est mourner of the long-departed Washington Senators, not to mention tournaments in tennis and soccer).

Those whose hamstrings are left intact by those strenuities may try them further either at the Family Moonlight Swim (Friday evening from 7 to 10 p.m.) or in the Municipal Outdoor Pool, which opens at 10 a.m. on Saturday. More sedentary amusement is provided by "The Trinidad and Tobago Steel Band" at poolside that evening at 8:15 p.m. (provided everybody is out of the water). If calypso, soca, and reggae are your cup of rum, this is your chance to imbibe. Refreshments (sorry, no rum) will be sold before the concert and during intermission.

Early risers may turn out Sunday morning at 8 a.m. to watch the lean and agile (in fact or in wish) compete in the First Annual Greenbelt 10K (kilometer) race through Old Greenbelt. The race will benefit the David Craig Memorial Scholarship fund. The Greenbelt Museum will open its doors to the contemplative between 1 and 5 p.m. Stragglers from the 10K race (and everyone else) will be admitted free.

American Legion Family Day
Sunday is also "Family Day" at the Greenbelt American Legion Post No. 136. The mayor

and city council will be on hand to sing the city's praises and commemorate its 56th birthday at the Greenbelt Day celebration beginning at 1:45 p.m.; there will also be performances by the Greenbelt Concert Band and Darlene's Dance Studio. Those who wish to praise folly may enjoy the Adult Scavenger Hunt, the Square Dance (including a demonstration by non-duffers), the Horse Shoe Tournament, bingo, a dunking booth, face painting, and various kinds of small-stakes gaming. Or just kick back and have a beer with the guys. BYOB/LC (bring your own blanket or lawn chair).

Reunion Announced

The Robert E. Peary High School Class of 1973 will hold its 20th reunion on Saturday, July 23.

For information, call Sheri Kushner Rothstein at (301) 762-0733.

New Dancers Wanted

The Alpine Dancers are a performing and teaching folkdance group specializing in dances from Austria and Germany. The group is well known to many Greenbelt residents who saw the Alpine Dancers perform at last year's Greenbelt Arts Center Oktoberfest in the Greenbelt Volunteer Fire Station; many even joined them in several lively dances.

The Alpine Dancers hold regular free and open practices on second and fourth Sundays 4-6 p.m. at the New Carrollton Municipal Center, 6016 Princess Garden Parkway near Beltway exit 20A. (Occasionally, practice times and dates may change due to performances). New dancers are always welcome. For information, directions, and engagements, or to confirm practices and performances, contact Herbert and Carol Traxler at 577-3503.



The Mike Burchick Singers entertained at the annual Green Ridge House Variety Show on May 1.

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1993 Summer Adult Recreation Leisure Activities

GREENBELT RECREATION DEPARTMENT

474-6878

In-person registration, first-come, first-serve basis. ALL registrants may sign up at either Center for ALL classes. PLEASE NOTE registration days and times at each Center.

Monday, June 7th through Wednesday, June 9th, 10:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m., Thursday and Friday, June 10th and 11th, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. and Saturday, June 12th, 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon at Greenbelt Youth Center Business Office. Register at the Springhill Lake Recreation Center Monday, June 7th through Wednesday, June 9th, 4:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

PLEASE NOTE: ALL CLASSES HAVE A LIMITED ENROLLMENT. EARLY REGISTRATION IMPROVES YOUR CHANCES OF OBTAINING THE CLASS OF YOUR CHOICE!!!

LATE REGISTRATION ON SPACE AVAILABLE BASIS ONLY: ACCEPTED AT THE YOUTH CENTER BUSINESS OFFICE - beginning Monday, June 14th through Friday, June 18th, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. and Saturday, June 19th, 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon. ALL LATE REGISTRANTS WILL BE CHARGED A LATE FEE OF \$5.00 PER FAMILY!! (If you register late on more than one day, you will be charged another late fee.) NO EVENING REGISTRATION WILL BE CONDUCTED AFTER WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, 1993.

CLASS FEES: All fees are noted in the course description. Residents are those individuals living within the city limits (not mailing only) of Greenbelt. Non-residents are those living outside the city limits of Greenbelt. A 10% discount will be given to all senior citizens, 60 years old and over, registering for classes. All checks should be made payable to the CITY OF GREENBELT. Visa or MasterCard accepted at the YOUTH CENTER BUSINESS OFFICE: 10:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. ONLY.

REFUNDS: The Greenbelt Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel classes due to insufficient registration or causes beyond its control. Refunds will automatically be made if these classes are cancelled by the Department. Other refunds will be made according to the provisions in the City of Greenbelt Resolution No. 65, which requires that refund requests, for valid reasons, to be submitted IMMEDIATELY IN WRITING to the Recreation Department Business Office.

MAINSTREAMING: Anyone who is physically, mentally, and/or emotionally challenged is encouraged to participate in any of the Recreation Department's programs. If you need any special assistance, please call 474-6878 or TTY 474-1811, ask for Karen Haseley.

LOCATION CODE: BFTC - Braden Field Tennis Courts; SHLRC - Springhill Lake Recreation Center; YC - Youth Center. FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Contact the Greenbelt Recreation Department, weekdays 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., 474-6878.

ADULT SUMMER CLASSES

ACTIVITIES	LOCATION	DAY/TIME	AGE GROUP	FEE (Non-Res add 25%)
CPR/First Aid	YC	T/T	7:00p-10:30p	16 & Over
Community CPR 6/22 & 6/24; 7/13 & 7/15; 8/10 & 8/12			Res. \$17.50	Non-Res. \$22.00
Infant/Child 6/29 & 7/01; 7/27 & 7/29; 8/17 & 8/19			Res. \$15.50	Non-Res. \$19.50
Standard First Aid 6/08 & 6/10; 7/6 & 7/8; 8/3 & 8/5			Res. \$12.50	Non-Res. \$16.00
Jazz/Advance Tap Begins 6/25	YC	Fri	7:30p- 8:30p	16 & Over
Slimnastics Begins 6/22	YC	Tue	7:30p- 8:30p	16 & Over
	YC	Thu	7:00p-8:00p	16 & Over
Square Dancing - Beginner 6/22	YC	Tue	6:00p- 7:30p	16 & Over
Swedish Massage Begins 6/24	SHLRC	Thu	6:30p -8:00p	16 & Over
Tai Chi Outoor Sessions Begins 6/5				
	YC	Sat	8:00a- 9:00a	16 & Over
Tap/Jazz Dance - Beginner 6/25	YC	Fri	7:00p -8:00p	16 & Over
Tennis Fundamentals - Adult -			Sat	9:00a-11:00a
Beginner/Intermediate 6/19-7/17; 7/24-8/21	BFTC	Sat	9:00a-11:00a	16 & Over
Beginner 7/26 - 8/28	BFTC	Mon	6:00p- 8:00p	16 & Over
Intermediate 7/24 - 8/21	BFTC	Sat	11:00a- 1:00p	16 & Over
Intermediate 7/28 - 8/25	BFTC	Wed	6:00p- 8:00p	16 & Over

Tennis instruction is offered for beginners, intermediates and combined. Beginners will start with basic rules, forehand, backhand and serve techniques. Intermediates will refine basic skills with emphasis on serve and volley techniques.

****Dates and times for the first sessions have been changed due to renovation of the tennis courts. ****

ADDITIONAL CLASS INFORMATION

AQUATIC ACTIVITIES

Registration will be held at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center. Check this week's 1993 Spring Aquatic Activities ad for class registrations. For additional information, dial 513-0390.

BIO AEROBICS

Register with class instructor Summer session begins Monday, June 21, 1993.

YC	M/W	7:00p-8:00p	16 & Over	\$45.50/8wks.
YC	T/T	6:00p-7:00p	16 & Over	\$45.50/8wks.

JACKI SORENSEN'S AEROBIC DANCING

Register with class instructor. Summer session begins Tuesday, June 15, 1993.

Contact Sue Anne Swartz, 262-6110, for additional information.

Classes	SHLRC	T/T	7:00p- 8:00p	16 & Over	\$48/8 wks; \$3.00/class
Workouts	SHLRC	T&T	6:00p- 7:00p	16 & Over	\$3.50/class
	SHLRC	Sat	9:00a-10:00a	16 & Over	\$3.50/class
Step Classes	SHLRC	Wed	6:00p- 7:00p	16 & Over	\$4.00/class

BUDGET

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of the increase is for position reclassification. Contributions to recreation groups was increased by \$5,000 with the Greenbelt Arts Center receiving \$2,400 of the increase and the Boys and Girls Club and Golden Age Club receiving increases of \$800 and \$740, respectively. An additional \$3,000 was allocated for fire-resistant canvas for the Labor Day booths. This canvas is now required by law and, council felt, would be prohibitively expensive for individual groups to purchase.

Pool fees will increase 8% to reflect the availability of the fitness center. These increases will not take effect until September.

Other Changes

In other departments, \$2,000 was added for a council-staff retreat, \$6,000 for position reclassifications, and \$6,000 for additional space for the community development staff. In addition, the city manager's pay will be increased \$4,000 to \$79,000. City council salaries will remain unchanged.

To help bring the budget into balance, council eliminated a \$28,600 contingency fund for cutbacks in state and county aid. Hobbs noted that the state and county budgets are not as tight as in the previous year, so the city may escape further cutbacks.

Additional Revenues

Some changes to the revenue side of the budget made the above changes possible. Hobbs reported that, based upon the latest budget reports it appears that FY93 revenues will exceed expenditures by \$50,000 more than expected when the budget was prepared. Also, the city has received a \$26,500 reimbursement from the Federal Emergency Management Administration

for snow removal. These funds will be carried over to FY94. The city has received additional state and county aid totalling \$22,600. A \$9,500 stormwater management grant, a revised estimate of permit revenues from the code enforcement program and a transfer of \$2,500 of interest from the cemetery reserve fund bring total available revenues to \$11.5 million, a 1.4 percent increase.

Future Concerns

By balancing the budget using funds carried over from the previous year, Hobbs noted that council was hiring the two additional officers with "one time money." While council, at the work session, briefly discussed a one cent tax hike to provide a permanent funding source, the idea was dropped.

Next year there is the potential for a significant tax increase to fund the costs of renovating and operating the community center. Deputy City Manager Michael McLaughlin told council that, contrary to earlier advice, it appeared that the city could not defer the first interest payment on the \$3 million bond issue, expected to be sold this summer until FY95. However, the city could pay the interest either from reserves or from the proceeds of the bond issue. Council will reconsider the capital projects accounts later this year.

Other Items

There were several budget items council wanted to include, that did not make the final cut. These include an administrative assistant for the public works department, a \$5,000 public information packet for new and prospective residents and the start of a \$50,000 reserve for professional services for possible litigation relating to development around the Metro station.

State Will Spray Here For Mosquitos Tuesdays

The Maryland Department of Agriculture will start its adult mosquito surveillance and spraying program in Greenbelt on Tuesday evenings, weather conditions permitting, through September 8. Spraying will be done only if a request is received and the Department of Agriculture determines the area requested should be sprayed.

The Greenbelt Public Works Department, 474-8004, will take citizen's requests for mosquito spraying. When making a request, it is important to specify the time of day the mosquitos are the worst and describe the exact location of the problem area. The requests will be forwarded to the Department of Agriculture on Friday afternoon.

A new policy requires that the sprayer operator not spray any area where there are many people outside. This includes children on bicycles, people jogging or walking dogs, etc. The operator will return to the area at a later time, if possible.

Sprayer operators have had problems in Greenbelt with children on bikes following them to ride in and out of the spray, according to the Department of Agriculture. On occasion the department states children have tried to escape notice of the driver and hold onto the back of the truck while spray was being released. This dangerous behavior could cause the State to stop the spraying program in Greenbelt.

Mosquitos breed in any water-

holding container, including bird baths, wading pools, pet watering dishes, tin cans, old tires, clogged gutters or flower pots. To prevent mosquito breeding in these areas, water should be changed weekly, gutters cleaned out and other water-holding containers disposed of or stored upside down.

The Department of Agriculture would like to know the location of any beekeepers within the city. Chemicals used for spraying (malathion and permethrin) are highly toxic to bees exposed to direct treatment or to residues remaining on the treated area.

Curbside Recycling Program

The following material is collected every Tuesday or Thursday, depending on location:

- Aluminum cans
- Glass food and beverage containers
- Plastic containers which are labeled with the recycling symbol (1 and 2)
- Newspapers

Recycling Center in "Buddy" Attick Park

The following material may be dropped off in the bins located in the park:

- All of the above materials in the curbside program
- Business paper, including white bond and computer paper, telephone books
- Cardboard
- Used motor oil

County Tax Rate Lowered For Greenbelt Taxpayers

by James Giese

Greenbelt residents can expect a slightly reduced property tax rate as a result of the adoption of the Prince Georges County Budget for Fiscal Year 1994 by the County Council on May 25. The total reduction of 2.3 cents for a total county rate of \$2.032 per hundred dollars assessed valuation within the city is due to the final payment on debt that was incurred prior to and not included in the so-called TRIM fixed rate restriction and to an adjustment in the Municipal Tax Differential formula that resulted in the county tax rate within Greenbelt dropping another penny. This modest reduction in tax rates could be offset by increased property assessments for many homes.

All other jurisdictions, including the city, adopted the same tax rate as the prior year for the new fiscal year beginning July 1, 1993. While city taxpayers will be paying an extra \$1.33 per \$100 of assessed valuation to the city for its services, they will pay a total of 76 cents less to the county and the Maryland-National Capitol Park and Planning Commission than will taxpayers in unincorporated areas as a result of the county tax differential and Greenbelt's exemption from the separate county parks tax.

\$60 Million Increase

The county budget was increased by \$60 million, or 5.8 percent over the current year as a result of growth in revenue.

This is the first time in several years that the county was not faced with cutbacks necessitated by declining revenues. As a result, there will be no layoffs or furloughs for county employees. However, there will also be no merit pay increases or cost-of-living increases for those employees.

The Board of Education received the lion's share of the new revenues with its budget being increased by \$52 million, bringing the total budget to \$640.8 million. This increase failed to meet the financial needs set forth by the school board which has lost more than \$40 million in state funding assistance during the past two years.

To help alleviate the school financial problem, the county is

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initiating a two-year program to help the school system meet its maintenance obligations. An accelerated, two-year renovation program for existing school buildings is to be begun in the new fiscal year. It will be financed by the sale of \$10 million of public improvement bonds. As a result of the accelerated maintenance program, \$2.1 million of the school board's operating budget can be shifted to such uses as special education, psychological services, math competency initiative, school security and to open two new schools.

Public Safety

Public safety also benefitted from the newly adopted budget. A million dollars has been provided for 40 additional police officers. A supplemental patrol program to pay overtime to officers who volunteer their time to work extra hours in high crime areas is provided \$140,000. Eight firefighters will be added as well. The Sheriff's Office will receive \$587,000 to pay for the cost of supervising casino operations in the county. This cost will be offset by increased fees paid by non-profit casino operators.

The county council has taken advantage of newly enacted state legislation which authorizes it to impose a systems development charge by the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission on new development hookups. With this new charge, it was possible to reduce the in-

Police Blotter

Based on Information Released by the Greenbelt Police Department

As a man was driving northbound on I-95 near Kenilworth Avenue around 12:30 a.m. on May 26, another car began to follow him closely. The man then tapped his brakes in order to get the following vehicle to stop following so closely. That car then followed him off the Beltway to the 9000 block of Edmonston Road and its driver, a man, lowered his window and shot twice at the first man's moving vehicle. Neither the first man nor his vehicle were hit. The gunman then fled towards Springhill Lake Apartments. His car is described as a tan or rust colored BMW 325I, with tinted windows and MD tags.

A breaking and entering was reported at a residence in the 6900 block of Hanover Pkwy.

crease in WSSC fees to customers from 14 percent to 8 percent.

The budget for the Prince Georges side of the Maryland-National Capitol Park and Planning Commission budget was increased by 8.2 percent to \$111.9 million, although the tax rates levied remain the same.

The county's capital improvement program was reduced from the previous year by 53 percent to \$5.9 million. For the next five years, capital improvement expenditures will total \$77.1 million.

on May 24. A VCR and jewelry were stolen.

An attempted breaking and entering was reported at Greenway Cleaners on May 23.

A four-door 1982 Honda Civic was reported stolen from the 100 block of Westway on May 23; it was later recovered.

While patrolling the area of Kenilworth Avenue at the Beltway around 3:30 p.m. on May 25, an officer saw a vehicle occupied by a suspicious person and found, via computer, that its registration plate had been reported stolen. Consequently, the occupant of that vehicle, 41-year-old nonresident man, was arrested and charged with theft. He was released pending trial.

Vandalisms to, thefts from, and attempted thefts of autos were reported in the following areas: the 6400 block of Capitol Drive, the 6400 block of Golden Triangle Drive, the 7800 block of Hanover Pkwy., the 6400 block of Ivy Lane, the 100 block of Lakeside Drive, and the 7500 and 8000 blocks of Mandan Road.

Hotline on Drugs

The Greenbelt Police Department needs the help of residents. Any citizen with information about possible drug activity in the city is encouraged to call the Greenbelt Narcotics Hot Line at 507-6524. Callers may remain anonymous.

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\$57,900

Ideal yard backs to woods! Beautiful hardwood floors and separate laundry with stacking W/D. Dishwasher and lighted fan. Ceramic tile bath and pull down to attic. Great condition!

PRICE & CONDITION

\$47,900

Freshly painted, new carpet, hardwood floors, enlarged dining area, built-in bookcase & extra window for added light. Kitchen has new stove & floor and W/D. Tile bath and fenced yard.

3 BEDROOMS

BIG REDUCTION

\$59,900

2 Story addition! Cathedral ceilings & skylights, open & sunny living room. Modern kitchen w/lots of cabinets & dishwasher. Sep. laundry, fenced yard & deck. Perfect hardwood floors.

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Thursday, June 3, 1993

Colton Resigns, Freas Re-elected President at GHI Board Meeting

by Mary Lou Williamson

Ron Colton, Greenbelt Homes General Manager for eight years surprised almost everyone in the board room when he announced his resignation, effective in two weeks. The board, with three newly elected members unanimously re-elected Alan Freas as president. The tone of the meeting was carefully friendly, calm and polite, with the only two outbursts by one member gavelled out of order. Two other members were asked to be quiet when their conversation in the back of the room prevented others from hearing.

The election to each of the three other offices was by a five-to-four vote: Carole Levin won over Wayne Williams for vice president. Keith Jahoda had declined a nomination to the position. Williams then won over Don Comis for secretary and Chuck Hess was re-elected treasurer over Kathy Weber.

Colton's surprise was his decision to accept a position not

in the Ukraine but with the Enterprise Foundation as Program Director working to expand the supply of affordable housing. His last day at GHI will be June 11, but he has offered to be helpful beyond that date during the transition. Finance Director Paul Sinner was selected acting general manager by the board of directors during the executive session which followed the meeting.

Search Committee

A search committee for a new manager was set up at the last board meeting. Margaret Hogen- sen, a member of that committee, asked the board to make clear the committee's responsibilities: to provide a job description and required qualifications, do the paper work, offer recommendations on how to proceed, etc.? How far does this committee go? Levin who was not present at the last board meeting asked, "What is the purpose of this committee?" She thought it would be helpful to new board members to talk about it.

Board representative to the search committee Hess said the committee's task is to advise the

board, not to make decisions. He pointed out there could be as many as 600 applications for the job. For example, he said, the committee will recommend procedures such as how to use an executive search company. The board, he said, would probably only interview 10 or more finalists, but might want the option of reviewing all or most of the candidates. He was sure the board would not want to take on the entire process nor would they completely turn it over to a head hunter to pick the new manager.

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Williams asked that staff research information on how previous managers had been selected—there have been only five in the almost 40-year history of GHI. The committee will report back to the board at its next meeting.

Hess then left the meeting to drive to Orlando, Florida where his mother had just been admitted to the hospital with an emergency.

Meetings Scheduled

The three monthly summer board meetings were set: June 10, July 15 and August 12. A training work session for the new board was set for June 17. More meetings are anticipated as the search for a new manager gets underway.

Fence Approved

John Blue, 5-N Laurel Hill Road, received permission to install a wood fence around his yard at the corner of Laurel Hill and Ridge Roads across the street from the new elementary school. When he purchased the new townhouse 20 years ago, according to the manager's memorandum for the meeting, "he was allowed to install plantings" behind his house all the way to the sidewalk that runs between his yard and 65-A Ridge Road. For 20 years he has landscaped and maintained that extended area. He wanted confirmation of the yard line before putting up an expensive wood fence. Blue is concerned about school children cutting through his yard and damaging his landscaping and now has a small dog that needs to be fenced in the yard.

Two competing issues faced the board: fairness to the member who had made that corner attractive and maintained it for 20 years and fairness to all members by maintaining the planning concept of common areas. New Board Member Bill Phelan spoke of how good the feeling is when he walks the inner walkways through open green common space and how closed-in he feels when the yards on either side butt against the sidewalk.

The board agreed to allow Blue to have his fence around his enlarged yard, but the yard must revert to its original size when the house is sold. The vote was 7 to 2. Levin and Williams voted no.

Employee Salaries?

The most contentious issue— disclosure of employee's salaries, surfaced only at the close of the meeting, when both sides agreed to place the item on the agenda for the next meeting on June 10.

New board member, John O'Boyle, under board member comments, expressed his concern that the issue be settled quickly and not be allowed to fester by lingering. Levin said she had not wanted to bring up the issue earlier because she didn't want any rancor to mar the first meeting of the new board. She asked that both of her concerns be included on the agenda— disclosure to members and disclosure to board members.

Member Walter Morse, recognized by the chair, rose to comment. Freas explained to Morse that he must withhold his comments on the issue until the item is up for discussion at the July meeting. Freas then recognized member Nat Shinderman who pointed out that this issue is presently under study by the bylaws committee which he co-chairs. Would the board want to take up the matter after the bylaws committee had finished its work? Freas thought parallel discussions by board and bylaws committee presented no conflict.

Interruptions

Before Shinderman had 10 words out, Morse jumped to his feet angrily demanding to know why Shinderman had the right to speak when he, Morse, did not. "Are you being fair?" he

Bonsai Docent

A volunteer expert will be available in the National Bonsai and Penjing Museum at the U.S. National Arboretum on Sunday, June 6 and Sunday, June 20, from 1-3 p.m. to answer questions on the care and training of bonsai.

charged. "You're being strict with me but not with Shinderman." Both Morse and Shinderman had, at times, spoken during the meeting without being recognized by the chair. Earlier in the meeting Morse had made an issue of how interruptions were to be handled. Freas had agreed with Morse that interruptions would not be tolerated. Morse then told Freas he personally would hold the president to that promise. He jumped to his feet to object once during the meeting when Shinderman spoke without being recognized and demanded that Freas tell Shinderman he cannot interrupt.

Morse's frequent and occasionally lengthy statements (he spoke on almost every issue at least once) prompted newly elected audit committee chair Alan Turnbull to ask "Do members have the right to be heard at board meetings or is it the prerogative of the president?" Freas responded that members have the right only to attend the business meetings of the board, but traditionally they have been given the right to address the board also.

Freas asked the three members of the board subcommittee on procedures (Williams, Levin and Jahoda) to review last year's recommendations on how to make board meetings more efficient and put them in writing. Board meetings at times have drifted into the wee hours of the morning, prompting at least one board member to leave before the end, saying he couldn't think any longer.

Board member Don Comis had also suggested the board "look seriously at suggestions for more orderly and quicker meetings."

Miscellaneous

Virginia Moryadas inquired about a member in her court who seemed to be taking over a part of the common area adjacent to their unit by putting up a mail box. Colton responded that GHI had written to the member asking to move the offending box. She also asked for a copy of "The Long Range Plan."

Member Eunice Coxon asked to receive more research on the number of sewer back-up incidents in frame and masonry homes. She has purchased insurance to protect her home against sewer-backups and thought others might be interested.

Martin and Mary Jo Murray received permission to enter into a lease purchase arrangement with a potential buyer who needs extra time to acquire the down payment.

The board accepted the low bid of Citizens Remodelers for \$93,535 to install vinyl siding and insulation on 23 block homes. Members may pay cash or take out a loan for their individual costs.

The board agreed to support county legislation for an amendment to the adequate public facilities requirements for new subdivisions proposed by County council member Richard Castaldi. The amendment would require that adequate space in public schools exists or is programmed for construction before approval can be granted for a new subdivision of homes as well as existing requirements for road, sewers, police and fire facilities.

Open Letter and Thank You

FROM 1-F NORTHWAY

Thanks to all the friendly people who stopped by my open house and yard sale last weekend. I want to personally thank Mayor Gil Weidenfeld, whose cousin dropped by from Gaithersburg, explaining that certain family members had been harassing her for years to buy a house in our great little town. Way to go, Mr. Mayor! We were so busy that I may not have answered everyone's questions at the time:

1. To those who asked about renting with an option to buy, I'll have to ask GHI. Please call me back next week.
2. I hope my information packet was helpful, but remember that the upstairs hall "closet" (on the blueprint in my info packet) is now a laundry room. I forgot to note this on the blueprint.
3. To those who missed the "garden tour" while I was busy with the yard sale, the new landscaping consists of all native plants, except for the ornamental grass which is Japanese.
4. To those who missed the "kitchen tour," the remodeled kitchen features all new appliances (dishwasher, garbage disposal, large frost-free refrigerator, self-cleaning oven with hood light and blower) plus the new cabinets and fluorescent ceiling light.
5. If you missed the "attic tour," the attic is easily reached through the upstairs bedroom closet's built-in stairs. It is fully floored, insulated and has an electric light.
6. If you missed the "dining room tour," I added both a new oak parquet floor and the hanging light fixture.
7. If you missed the "bathroom tour," you didn't miss much. It's just the usual — bathtub, sink and toilet — though the walls were re-tiled in white ceramic tile.

Thanks again to all. Call me at 474-1982 if you have any additional questions about the house or my information packet. Remember to claim your \$250 cash bonus for referring me a buyer (or purchasing 1-F Northway yourself) if you respond to my News Review ad or the flyer delivered to your house.

Last, thanks to everyone who bought Girl Scout cookies — I have more if you need them. By the way, anyone who needs childrens' clothes (girls 6-10), please call! I still have a good selection, including a Brownie uniform jumper/beanie and a formal dress (size 6X or 7) perfect for Little Miss Greenbelt!

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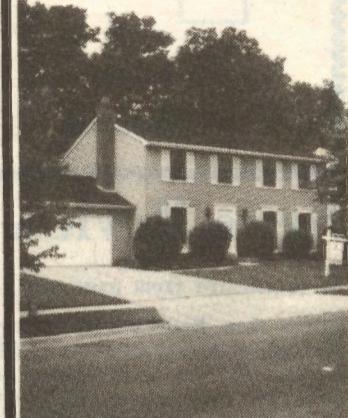
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News Review

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pality. Now Belle Point's homes, still under construction, are filling in the last undeveloped region of "old Greenbelt," and Green Springs extends the borders of what we call Greenbelt East.

As the city grows, the task of providing copies enough for the thousands of new homes has added to the paper's costs. Even more challenging — overtaxing our limited staff — has been trying to develop delivery services for these new regions.

In the old days when some of us began our volunteer association with the paper (since 1956 and 1957 for two of our current staff members), editions regularly consisted of only four pages. Now our smallest papers are double that; and 12, 16 and

20 pages are far more common. On occasion, with election issues, we print papers of 24 pages. (Because of limitations with the print shop's folding machine, the pages of all papers appear in multiples of four).

Since costs for the papers are paid for by advertising revenue, any one issue's size is determined by the advertising income for that particular week. But here's the hitch: if revenue is low, the paper must be small — no matter how many interesting news items may be ready for printing; at the same time, if space devoted to advertising reaches beyond a certain tolerable amount for a paper of a given size, the editor is forced to add another four pages — even when income won't pay for the larger issue.

Because of these variables, the News Review always operates on a sort of hand-to-mouth level. Over the years, more issues have tended to lose money than those

that earn enough. Thus, the paper's operating reserves tend to dwindle.

Current Needs

On the occasion of this new fund drive, we do not envision anything like the organized campaign of 1985. Nor do we expect contributions in the range of those offered in that earlier year. But we are hoping that enough of our readers who appreciate the role of the paper in helping to make Greenbelt the community that we all recognize and have come to love, will be willing to offer what might be considered a voluntary subscription — something on the order of what each might pay annually for another publication considered vital to their interests. For your voluntary subscription you will receive nothing more than what you now receive except for our gratitude.

And while we are asking — our staff could use some help, too — more volunteers. Lately, we've

gotten a great new typist (sometimes there is more than she can do) and several great new proofreaders from our clever "HLEP" ad that is so full of errors it hooks just the kind of person who needs to find all the printed errors in the newspaper. But we haven't found the easy hook for other jobs.

We need some to help Monday nights on the ad desk. (We've had to close the office a half dozen times this year for lack of staff). We need help with writing and reporting on meetings and organization activities (there are many news and feature stories that never get written), telephoning to get information, selling advertising (our dining out guide has disappeared), organizing our massive collection of old and new photographs and maps, occasional light table work fixing up messy maps to go with stories. And while we hate to mention this last item in such a wonderful city as is Greenbelt, we need help collecting bad debts. You get the idea — the list is varied if unending.

Looking towards the future, we need new equipment to modernize our operation and to improve the appearance of the paper.

For all three reasons, we have included in this week's issue a special fund-raising coupon, which we hope our readers will clip, fill out and mail back to us with a check to help us meet our budgeted needs. (Those interested in volunteering may also use this form). We have carefully husbanded the reserve funds collected eight years ago. With the help of that money we have been able to continue our record of unbroken publication. That record — of which we are duly proud — has stretched out now to 55 years. With continued support from our readers, we are aiming for a century.

Spotlight On the Arts

by Sandy Smith

Steel Band Gives Free Concert
The Trinidad and Tobago Steel Band will perform June 5 at 8 p.m. at the Greenbelt Aquatic Center as part of the Greenbelt Day Weekend festivities. The public is invited to this free concert, which is the last concert in the 1992-93 music series of the Greenbelt Arts Center. The Trinidad and Tobago Steel Band play calypso, reggae, soul sounds, popular island melodies and even classical numbers.

Youth Players Perform Shakespeare

The Greenbelt Youth Players will perform Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream" at Greenbelt Center School, June 5 and 6, at 2 p.m. This production is the annual children's play sponsored by the Greenbelt Arts Center. Directed by Virginia Zanner, the play features children from all Greenbelt schools and some from the surrounding area. Special family discount prices are available. Call 441-8770 for reservations and information.

Art Auction Set for August 4

Planning has already begun for the annual art auction, one of the Greenbelt Arts Center's major fundraising events. The art auction will be held August 4 and will once again feature a variety of art styles at reasonable prices. It is another way of bringing an art form to the community. The auction will begin with a light buffet and a preview hour before the auction begins.

City Notes

Large flowered circles in Schrom Hills Park were planted. Landscaping was worked on throughout the city. Ballfield preparation continued. Repairs and maintenance were done in playgrounds. Litter was collected from along roadsides.

The Recycling Center was cleaned and garbage and junk removed. Recycling collection receptacles were installed at Braden Field.

Graffiti was again painted over at several underpasses and the Spellman overpass. Construction of the salt storage structure has begun.

PGCC Offers Cycles Training Courses

Prince Georges Community College in cooperation with the Maryland Motorcycle Safety Program, is offering motorcycle rider training courses at the Largo campus weekly through October. Beginning rider courses, lasting 20 hours, are ideal for individuals who have not ridden recently or are just starting to ride. The program supplies training motorcycles. The motorcycle licensing skill test is administered to qualified students at the end of the course. There is a fee.

Courses are also offered for experienced riders; for information, or a list of courses, call 301-322-0878.

Arthritis Lecture

Washington Adventist Hospital in Takoma Park is sponsoring a free physician lecture called "Update on Arthritis" Monday, June 7 at 7 p.m. Dr. Norman Koval, a board-certified rheumatologist will discuss diagnosis and treatment options such as surgery, medications, and exercise. For more information or to register call (301) 445-0755.

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Crescent Rd. Greenbelt,
Saturday and Sunday
June 5 and 6, 1993
2:00 p.m.

Tickets: \$5.00
Family of 2-4 \$10.00
Family of
5 or more \$15.00

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